

Triangle Area Meeting Minutes for 6/19/2002

Triangle Area Traffic Task Force
Meeting: June 19, 2002
7:00 p.m.

Attendance: John Veneziano, Alex Verzosa, Bill Stevenson, Tom Tracy, Ken Sanders, Jack O'Donnell, Stuart Thayer, Matthew Rainoff, Carrie Rainoff, Bennett Brown, Steve Oldfield, Karen Stevenson, David Gessert, Cynthia Cute

- Update/Recent traffic counts and speed measure handed out for concerned Triangle Area Streets. Task Force members to review and discuss conclusions at next meeting. Missing counts for East side of Cedar, between Richardson and Rte 123. Alex Verzosa to find and supply these counts as soon as possible.
- Railroad Avenue businesses in attendance with concern of loss of parking spaces on Railroad due to location of construction of raised brick cross walk.
- Discussion of where to construct cross walk to minimize the impact on parking spaces.
- Subcommittee created to focus specifically on cross walk and location. Tom Tracy, Stewart Thayer and Jack O'Donnell selected for sub committee.
- Subcommittee to report back to task force with alternative location suggestions.
- Discussion of "grass" plantings on Keith Avenue curve at Keith Avenue Park. Strong opinions for keeping the plantings as well as removing them. Committee discussion and conclusion to table issue for later review.
- Discussion Paul the VI "fence" at Cedar Ave/Keith Ave intersection. John Veneziano reported that he understood that Paul VI was going to "replace" the fence as part of the plans for the gymnasium addition. John will find out, according to the plans, what it is going to be replaced with.
- Discussion over timing of implementing traffic measures. Several non task force residents attended meeting to voice concern over the "slow" movement of implementation of traffic calming measures. Concern voiced that after five years of task force existence, very few measure have been implemented. Task force recognized the need to complete traffic volume and speed counts in order to move into stage three which would, if deemed necessary, create more traffic calming measures (as outlined in Stage 3 of Triangle Area Traffic Calming Proposal to City Council).
- Discussion of Neighborhood Entrance signs. Everyone in agreement with neighborhood name, FAIRFAX HEIGHTS and the sign design. Approval to move ahead with drawings which will be mailed to Task Force Member within the week for further review.
- Discussion of renovation of Corridon Electric building and grounds on Railroad Ave. Building plans available at City of Fairfax Zoning office for review. John Veneziano to get a copy for task force review at next meeting.
- Discussion of renovation of Surgical Building on Main Street. An email to the task force from the developer outlining the basics of the project was presented. A follow meeting will be scheduled to specifically address this project and its implications.

Meeting Adjourned; 9:30 p.m.